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### Memorandum

To: Manager  
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Subject: Tract U-a/U-b Inspection - Mining

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Personnel Present: Bob Hobbs - WRSOC  
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### Activities

Mining. Excavation for the ground control test rooms was completed. The large room (330' long x 55' wide x 10' high) was divided into two test sections, each 100' long. One section was bolted with 8' resin bolts on 5' centers. The other was bolted with 2' anchor bolts to hold the thinly bedded sediment in the immediate roof during excavation.

Instruments were placed in 20' boreholes in the roof to detect any parting or sag in the roof over time. There was no sag detected to date.

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